

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have is offered by Senator Miller. Senator Miller's amendment is on page 2113 of the Journal.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Miller.

SENATOR MILLER: To explain this simply, this is an appropriation for the vet school. Originally this amendment says that, if you understand, if you remember the situation there was a required \$200,000 appropriation for the vet school. Then private industry came in and said that they would contribute \$100,000 to match...to take half of that away from the state which would mean \$100,000 from the private industry, \$100,000 from the state. This amendment puts in that kind of language into 723. Now since then, because of the condition of the revenues of the state, the private industry has recognized that this body probably would not appropriate even \$100,000 towards the further program of establishing a veterinary college. So the private industry has decided that it will leave its \$100,000 in there to be matched by \$100,000 federal grant. Rod Johnson will produce an amendment that will do that after this amendment is enacted. So what it is going to end up being is that there will only be \$100,000 of private funds, and there will be no state appropriations. Now is Rod Johnson here? He has an amendment to this amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Yes, we do. Would you like to take up the amendment to the amendment now? All right. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Rod Johnson would move to amend Senator Miller's amendment. Senator Rod Johnson is excused.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Are you acquainted with his amendment, Senator Miller? Could you handle that? All right.

SENATOR MILLER: Rod Johnson's amendment...is it printed?

CLERK: No, sir.

SENATOR MILLER: Well, would you read his amendment.

CLERK: (Read R. Johnson amendment found on page 2573 of the Legislative Journal.)